



Flinders Run Shiraz 2006

Wine Maker: Brian Light
Appellation: Southern Flinders Ranges
Varietal: Shiraz
Yields per Acre: 1.8 - 2.2 tons to acre
Cases Produced: 1,800 - 2,000
Filtration and fining: Course earth filtration and no fining
Wood treatment: High quality American/French
Oak Hogs Heads with 50% new French Oak Staves
Length of barrel maturation: 18 months

Alcohol %: 15.2%
Total Acid: 6.6 g/l
Free/Total Sulfur: 34 free/109 total
pH: 3.6
Residual Sugar: 3.6 g/l



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Viticultural Practices: an extraordinary growing season with mild to warm climatic conditions right up to vintage, each block was kept separate which has produced some amazing results small batch ferments have given us the ability to maintain the quality and consistency of our wines as well as the introduction of the new product. fruit was harvested at 14.8 -15.2 baume.

Wine Makers Notes: Deep reds with bright purple hue, sweet ripe plum and dark berry fruits anise toast and spice. fine velvet tannins frame this wine with a sweet fruit palate of long length. The fruit from the entire 2008 vintage was hand picked and delivered to the winery in the cool hours of the morning, after gentle crushing and controlled fermentation the wine was separated from the skins and then gently pressed to capture the essence that this near perfect vintage was able to produce. small batch ferments have provided the necessary tools to hand craft premium red wines from this young emerging region! Atilio is this what you are needing iff there is anything else you need just let me know regards.

Food Accompaniments: Osso Bucco with rosemary potatoes and artichokes charcoal grilled beef or lamb, rich roasted venison, baby spinach with rosemary and garlic potatoes.

Scores: 92 pts Robert Parker Jr.'s The Wine Advocate (JM) - Opaque purple-colored, it offers up a nose of toasty oak and blueberry compote that jumps from the glass. Full-bodied, corpulent, round, and layered, it delivers a big mouthful of blueberry fruit with notes of licorice and chocolate followed by a long, pure finish. Leave your thinking cap at home and enjoy this hedonistic effort for its fleshy, in your face style.

92 pts Stephen Tanzer's International Wine Cellar: Inky ruby. Powerfully scented bouquet of dark berries, smoky minerals and fresh flowers; this is really fragrant. Spicy black raspberry and cassis flavors stain the palate and are enlivened by zesty minerality. A strong iron note carries into the impressively broad, long finish.
